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Dear Honorable Commissioner:

Applicants timely respond to the Examiner's Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated September 20, 2005 (copy attached). Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above application in view of the following claim amendments.